



ARCHITECTS^{UK}
DAYBREAKER

THE BITTER END

WHEN TIME RESETS, WE ALL BECOME ZERO.

DECIMALS APART, TAKE US BACK TO THE START.

TEAR DOWN THE WALLS, THAT WERE BUILT TO DIVIDE.

CAN YOU FEEL THAT FIRE GROWING?

WE'RE STANDING ON THE EDGE OF THE EVENT HORIZON,

MOMENTS BEFORE THE EARTH STARTS TO FLATLINE.

ALPHA OMEGA

SON OF GOD, HANGMAN'S PAWN.
CONTROL OUR LIVES
WITH FAIRYTALES AND SHALLOW LIES.
YOU SAY WE'LL BURN IN HELL.
SPITEFUL PREACHER, I KNOW YOU WELL.
DESPERATION BREATHES AND FOLLOWS YOU HOME,
LOOK AROUND, YOU'RE NOT ALONE.
ONE LIFE AND ONE CHANCE, THE WORLD IN FRONT OF ME.
INTELLIGENT DESIGN, SENDING SHIVERS DOWN MY SPINE.
CELLS MUTATE AND DIVIDE,
WHAT A SADISTIC INTENTION.
NO LIGHT, NO DARK . NO UPS, NO DOWNS.
I'LL FIND PEACE, BURIED IN THE GROUND.
THE LIGHTS GO OUT, THE FUSE HAS BLOWN,
NO HEAVEN OR HELL TO BRING ME HOME.
ANOTHER DIVISION TO TEAR US APART.
TRY TO FILL THAT HOLE INSIDE YOUR HEART.
SUN OF GOD, SUN IN THE SKY.
IF YOU COULD SPEAK, I'M SURE YOU'D SAY:
"THERE'S MORE TO ME THAN MEETS THE EYE."
LET ME SAY MY DECENCY COMES FROM INSIDE.
JUST HUMAN HEART, A DECENT MIND,
WE ALL SLIP UP FROM TIME TO TIME.

THESE COLOURS DON'T RUN

THESE STREETS AREN'T PAVED WITH GOLD,
DON'T BELIEVE EVERYTHING THAT YOU'RE TOLD.

DECEPTION HIDES IN ALL YOU SEE,
CORRUPTION HANGS IN THE AIR YOU BREATHE.

IN THE LAND OF THE FREE,
YOU KNOW NOTHING COMES FOR FREE.

FOURTH DRIVE IN PARADISE,
VAPID SOULS CHECK THE MARKET PRICE.

LIFETIME SLAVE
LIVING IN A SUBURBAN GRAVE.

IF THERE WAS A GOD,
YOU WOULD BE THE DEATH OF HIM.

'THESE COLOURS DON'T RUN'
LIKE THE COLOUR FROM THE FACE.
EYES ROLL BACK, CHEMICAL DESPAIR,

IT'S TRUE WHAT THEY SAY,

LIFE ISN'T FAIR.

SO REPEAT THIS LINE:

'EVERYTHING IS FINE, EVERYTHING IS FINE'

IN THE LAND OF THE FREE,
YOU KNOW NOTHING COMES FOR FREE.
I'M STRUGGLING TO FIND ANY POETRY IN THIS,
SOMEONE BEAT ME TO THE LINE 'IGNORANCE IS BLISS'

SO I GUESS I'LL JUST SAY IT HOW IT IS -
YOU HAD IT ALL, YOU FUCKING PIGS.

DAYBREAK

NAVIGATION IN NAUTICAL TWILIGHT,
SEPARATION FROM WHAT WE KNOW IS RIGHT.
THE WIND WAS TAKING US IN THE WRONG DIRECTION,
ITS ABOUT TIME WE SHOWED SOME DISAFFECTION.
CARRY THE WEIGHT OF THOUSANDS OF YEARS.
TURN THE PAGE, LETS MAKE IT ALL DISAPPEAR.
WE'VE HAD ENOUGH OF INHIBITED PROGRESSION,
HELD BACK BY CLOAK AND DAGGER OPPRESSION.
WE'RE INSULTING OUR OWN INTELLIGENCE.
I WON'T LISTEN WITHOUT ANY EVIDENCE.
I'LL LIVE MY LIFE IN THE NAME OF NO ONE.
BOW YOUR HEAD, PALM TO PALM,
WORSHIP HERE, IN THIS CEREBRAL CATHEDRAL.
AS DAY BREAKS THE SUNLIGHT HEALS,
AS DAY BREAKS THE LIGHT REVEALS.
THESE CHAINS THAT WE'VE BEEN LIVING IN,
HOW EASILY WE'VE BEEN GIVING IN.
NOW SHED THIS SKIN, LET CHANGE BEGIN.
AS DAY BREAKS THE SUNLIGHT HEALS,
AS DAY BREAKS THE LIGHT REVEALS.
NAVIGATION IN NAUTICAL TWILIGHT,
SEPARATION FROM WHAT WE KNOW IS RIGHT.
IT FEELS TO ME LIKE THIS BOAT IS SINKING,
WEIGHED DOWN BY RATIONAL THINKING.
LIGHT BEGINS TO PIERCE THE DISTANCE.
SOLAR DAWN, RELIEVE THE FRICTION.
BLUE HOURS QUICKEN THE PULSE.
UPON THE UPPER EDGE, REALITY DAWNS.

TRUTH, BE TOLD

RAGING WATERS FLOOD THE VALLEYS OF YOUR MIND.

THE TORRENT WASHED AWAY THE WARNING SIGNS.

SWIM THROUGH THE ONES AND ZEROS,

SO HARD TO TELL THE VILLAINS FROM HEROES.

WHAT IF THEY SAY ISN'T TRUE?

WHAT IF THEY WANT ISN'T BEST FOR YOU?

WASHED UP, FACE DOWN ON DIGITAL SHORES.

LUNGS CONTRACT, NOW DIVE BACK IN FOR MORE.

ARE YOU SITTING ON THE EDGE OF YOUR SEAT?

"WE'LL BE RIGHT BACK, DON'T MOVE AN INCH."

STATIC MIRROR, LIFE ISN'T BLACK AND WHITE,

I UNDERSTAND IT'S HARD TO CHOOSE WHATS RIGHT.

WHITEOUT SWALLOWS US ALL.

ONCE SNOW-BLIND, WE WON'T CARE AT ALL.

TUNNEL VISION,

HEARTS BEATS IN TIME.

RHYTHMIC CONTRACTIONS

DROWNING IN A FLOOD OF DISTRACTIONS.

I WANT TO WAKE UP AND FIND A WORLD IN REMISSION,

FREE FROM THE GRASP OF THE HUMAN CONDITION.

BUT, WHEN WE'RE ALL TRAPPED INSIDE STATIC SCREENS,

TRAINED FROM BIRTH JUST TO NOD AND AGREE.

I DON'T WANT TO BELIEVE,

THAT WE'LL BE FOREVER, FAST ASLEEP.

EVEN IF YOU WIN, YOU'RE STILL A RAT

YOUR LIFE IS ENDING, ONE MINUTE AT A TIME,

CHECK THE CLOCK AND STAND IN LINE.

HIBERNATE, TILL YOUR LIFE'S PASSED YOU BY.

PLEASE STOP LIVING LIKE YOU'RE WAITING TO DIE.

KEEP UP, DON'T GET LEFT BEHIND.

DON'T SLIP UP, CHASE THAT FINISH LINE.

THEY DON'T WANT YOU BELIEVING

THAT YOUR LIFE DESERVES A MEANING.

WHAT A FEELING, BUILT TO BREAK.

HAPPINESS WITH AN EXPIRY DATE.

PLEASE STOP LIVING LIKE YOU'RE WAITING TO DIE.

STITCHED INTO OUR LIVES, DRAINED UNTIL WE EXPIRE.

WEARY SOULS TRYING TO FORGET,

THAT WE'RE ALL PUPPETS WITH A LIFETIME DEBT.

WE'RE ALL WEARY SOULS, TRYING TO FORGET.

KEEP TWO EYES ON THAT INTANGIBLE FINISH LINE.

IN THIS RACE WE'RE ALL REDUCED TO VERMIN.

STITCHED INTO OUR LIVES, DRAINED UNTIL WE EXPIRE.

YOUR LIFE IS ENDING, ONE MINUTE AT A TIME.

OUTSIDER HEART

I CLOSE MY EYES AND TAKE A DEEP BREATH,
TRY TO FIND MY PLACE IN THIS.
DIGGING TEETH INTO THE HAND THAT FEEDS,
SO INHUMAN, I'M SURPRISED YOU BLEED.
CUTTING TEETH, FADING BELIEF.
FLIP THE SWITCH AND DRAG ME IN.
WHEN THEY'VE HAD THEIR WAY,
I DOUBT I'LL EVEN DREAM.
STRAY FROM THE PATH AND YOU'RE ON YOUR OWN.
LIGHTENING STRIKES IN THE UNKNOWN.
THE VIEW FROM HERE, EVEN THE BLIND WOULD SEE,
THAT NONE OF US WERE EVER FREE.
I'LL BE THE LINES IN-BETWEEN
THE ONES THAT TELL YOU WHAT YOU WANT AND NEED.
I AM ONLY RUST ON THE MACHINE,
AMBER CORROSION.
THE LOUDEST TRUTH, YOU NEVER HEARD,
A SILENT EXPLOSION.
TAKE MY HEAD FROM THE CLOUDS,
LIFT MY FEET FROM THE GROUND,
LAST NOTE DIES, THEY DON'T MAKE A SOUND.

BEHIND THE THRONE

SOWING THE SEEDS.

ROOTS DIG DEEP, WHILST WE SLEEP.

SNAKES IN VEINS, VALVES DECAY.

ALL OF THE MEANINGLESS WORDS WE SAY.

CAST THE FIRST STONE, FROM BEHIND THE THRONE.

CROWN OF THORNS, NOW OVERGROWN.

ALL OUR WANTS AND NEEDS, BRING US TO OUR KNEES

CAN'T TURN BACK NOW THE SEEDS ARE SOWN

SEVEN BILLION, ONE OF A KIND.

COLLIDE TOGETHER, INTERTWINED.

NATIONAL LINES USED TO DEFINE,

WHERE WE DRAW THE ENEMY LINES

WEAPONS AREN'T USED IN THIS WAR.

WAIT FOR THE FALLOUT FROM THIS ABSENCE OF THOUGHT.

ALL THE THINGS WE CAN'T AFFORD TO IGNORE.

THE SUN DOESN'T SHINE ANYMORE.

DEVIL'S ISLAND

THIS IS YOUR COUNTRY,
THIS IS YOUR HOME,
HERE IS THE HOUSE WHERE YOU GREW UP ALONE.

THE CITY STREETS, YOU USED TO LOVE,
ARE BRUISED AND BROKEN,
ARE BLACK AND BLUE.

ON OUR TVS, MILES AWAY.
ON OUR DOORSTEPS WITH NO REASON WHY.
TAKE IT BACK, TAKE IT BACK, TAKE IT BACK.

THIS IS YOUR COUNTRY,
THIS IS YOUR HOME,
HERE IS THE HOUSE WHERE YOU GREW UP ALONE.

REMEMBER THIS FOR WHAT IT WAS.
YOU WANT A VOICE BUT YOUR VOICES SOUND LIKE VIOLENCE.

YOU DON'T DESERVE THIS LIFE.
REMEMBER THIS FOR WHAT IT WAS,
A BLEAK PROJECTION OF ABSENT MINDS.
YOU WANT A VOICE BUT YOUR VOICES SOUND LIKE VIOLENCE.

YOU SHOUT SO LOUD BUT ALL I HEAR IS SILENCE.
THE CITY STREETS THAT YOU SHOW NO LOVE,
ARE BRUISED AND BROKEN, BECAUSE OF YOU.

FEATHER OF LEAD

THE SICK GET SICKER WHILE THE RICH GET RICHER.
CAPITAL GREED PAIRED WITH VESTIGIAL SUPERSTITION.
THE SICK GET SICKER WHILE THE RICH GET RICHER.
ANGELS AND DEMONS, MONEY AND MUNITIONS.
YOUR LEFT WING CLIPPED,
BUY A GUN FOR JESUS.
OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL THOSE WILLING TO PAY.
OUT OF SIGHT, OUT OF MIND,
TOO AFRAID OF THE HORROR THAT YOU MIGHT FIND.
OUT OF SIGHT, OUT OF MIND.
HOW MUCH DOES YOUR FAITH COST?
CELESTIAL SHEPHERD WATCHES OVER HIS FLOCK.
WHAT ABOUT THOSE BLACK SHEEP THAT HE FORGOT?
UNANSWERED FAITH IS EVERYTHING THAT THEY'VE GOT.
I'D LIKE TO THINK YOU'RE EVERYTHING THAT I'M NOT.
SOMETHING HERE DOESN'T ADD UP.
YOUR CHARITY STARTS AND ENDS AT HOME.
YOUR CONSCIENCE CALLED BUT YOU HUNG UP THE PHONE.

UNBELIEVER

OUR STORY BEGAN IN THE HEART OF A STAR.
WE'VE LOST OUR WAY, FORGOTTEN WHAT WE ARE.
WE ARE ONLY PARTICLES IN MOTION.
FLOATING THROUGH SPACE, WHAT A DESTRUCTIVE RACE.
LOOK AT THIS LIFE AS A GRAIN OF SAND, THE BLINK OF AN EYE, A WORLD IN YOUR HANDS.
THINKING, FEELING, SURVIVING, BELIEVING
IN WHAT WE THINK IS RIGHT, REFRACT DISTORTED LIGHT.
YOU HELPED BUILD THIS FIRE INSIDE OF ME.
BREATHING FIRE WON'T BURN DOWN THE BORDERS,
SET AGAINST EVERYTHING THAT CAME BEFORE US.
ALL THOSE THINGS THAT YOU DESPISE,
WE ALL SEE THROUGH HUMAN EYES.
THERE IS NO SIDE TO CHOOSE, BOUND TOGETHER, WE ALL WIN OR ALL LOSE.
LOOK AT THIS LIFE AS A GRAIN OF SAND,
THE BLINK OF AN EYE, A WORLD IN YOUR HANDS.
LIFE IS SO SHORT,
TAKE A MOMENT TO FEEL ALIVE.
I KNOW ALL WE MEANT WAS TO EXPAND AND TO THRIVE.
BUT WE SHARPENED OUR CLAWS AND WE WENT TO WAR.
WITH OURSELVES, WITH EACH OTHER, WITH THE RICH AND WITH THE POOR.
WITH ANYONE DIFFERENT, WHO BELIEVES IN LESS OR MORE.
STEP OUT OF THE SHADOW, CAST BY LEFT AND RIGHT WINGS.
TAKE REFUGE IN EACH OTHER AND THE TRIUMPH THAT IT BRINGS.
SINCE WE STOOD ON TWO FEET, WE'VE BEEN WORTH SO MUCH MORE.
NOW TEAR DOWN THE WALLS, THAT WERE BUILT TO DIVIDE,
IT'S TIME TO EXTINGUISH THAT FIRE INSIDE.